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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated as shown below.

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AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO THE DECEMBER 8, 2005 OFFICE ACTIONCommissioner for Patents
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Sir:


This communication is submitted in response to the December 8, 2005 Office Action ("Office Action"). A response is due March 8, 2006. Accordingly, this response is timely filed. Entry of the following amendment and consideration of the enclosed remarks are respectfully requested. The following sections are enclosed:

1. Amendments to the Specification;
2. Amendments to the Claims; and
3. Remarks.

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